

HOYNE GETS NEW EVIDENCE— DETECTIVES MAY TALK

Three letters, found in two tin boxes seized in the recent raid on the detective bureau, will play a prominent part in investigation into the police department by State's Att'y Hoyne's office.

The contents of the letters have started groups of investigators and detectives connected with the state's attorney's office investigating another angle of the "Chicago police scandal."

Coppers at the detective bureau are said to be talking. Charley Larkin, sent to the detective bureau to replace Lieut. Tobin at the request of Hoyne, is the man who is inducing the boys to cough up.

It is now brought to light that the real reason Tobin was chased from the bureau as well as John Halpin was to give Hoyne's investigators more of a chance to get to the bureau "dicks."

A case now being probed with a view of accusing some detectives of having tried to play the role of a fixer is the Edward P. Armory murder. Allan Thomson, who is under arrest for that, is said to have been shown favors while at the bureau.

Hoyne says now he is not going to stop at the detective bureau in his war against crooked police. It is said he will soon summon the commanding officers of the Third, Sixth, Twelfth, Twenty-first, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth precincts.

"I have enough evidence in the detective bureau to convict at least ten men," said the state's attorney. "I am going to make good on my promise to the mayor, which was to clean up the department by convicting the real crooks."

"I have complaints from fifty persons who have been fleeced in as many sections of the city and who were given no satisfaction from the police," said Hoyne. "I have records

of cases where men have been arrested for larceny (pickpocketing) and where detectives whose names appeared on the complaints failed even to present a complaint against the offenders. I have one record where it is shown that a man who was robbed of \$7,000 through a confidence game was unable to present his evidence to the examining magistrate because the detectives who had the case in hand failed to appear."

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He—How is it that you are always so vivacious and light hearted?

She—That's because I'm a "sad spinster." And why are you always so grave and solemn?

He—Me? Oh, I'm a "gay bachelor."

Washington.—House defeated, 123 to 91, Hardwick bill proposing government deposit of \$250,000,000 in southern banks to be loaned on cotton and tobacco.